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SETTING UP OF PLANETARIUM IN KERALA
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Will the Minister of SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government propose to set up a planetorium in Kerala with a view to create awareness among the public and also a study centre for students;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY(SHRI BACHI SINGH RAWAT)

(a), (b) & (c) No Sir, Governmentdo not have any proposal for setting up a planetarium and study centre in Kerala. However, National Council of Science Museums has a fixed dome planetarium as part of the Regional Science Centre at Calicut.